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Form BC-126  
June 1954

Card # 1 First C.O. 1-10-56 (Started 2-8-56)

COMM. TV B/C

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Satellite of KHOL-TV

KWNB-TV (Eff: 6-3-74)

X KHPL-TV (Letter 10-7-55)

X KHOK-TV

Date first licensed 12-31-56 (Off. No. 263) NDEA

Call letters

(Sta. Loc. Hayes Center, Nebraska)

AMATURO GROUP, INC. (AL 11-16-79; Eff:

XNTV ENTERPRISES, INC. (AL 4-29-74; Eff: 8-1-74

XBI-STATES COMPANY

Name of licensee

Transmitter location On County Road, 8 mi. North of Hayes Center, Nr. Hayes Center, Nebraska  
(KHOL-TV)

Main studio location NONE



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BPCT-2016	9-21-55	Ch. # 6 82-88	V 28.2 kw A 14.1 kw	U	11-21-55 5-21-56
CP for a new Comm. TV B/C Station.					
WIRE	1-10-56	Pending filing of License applic. auth- ority granted to operate KHPL-TV, Hayes Center, Nebraska, Comm. basis period ending 5-21-56 accord. CP(BPCT-2016).			
BMPCT-3899	5-10-56	same	same	same	11-21-55
Mod. CP(BPCT-2016) to extend completion date to					11-21-56
WIRE	5-14-56	Pending filing of license application, exten- sion authority granted to operate KHPL-TV temporarily for period ending Nov. 21, 1956 Comm. basis accordance CP(BPCT- 3899).			
BTC-2386	12-27-56	Voluntary transfer of control of per- mittee corporation from the Brewster Hospital, Inc. to F. Wayne Brewster.			
BLCT-532	12-31-56	Ch. # 6 82-88	V-28.2kw A-14.1	U	12-31-56 6-1-59
AH 710 License to cover (BPCT-2016, as mod.)					
BPCT-2531	9-17-58	CH # 6 82-88	V-100 kw A-50 kw	U	11-17-58 5-17-59
AH: 710' CP to chg. ERP type of transmitters.					
WIRE	4-21-59	AUTH. CR. OPR. KHPL-TV ON PROGRAM TEST ADVISE Began			
ACCORD. SECTION 3.429 RULES & CP BPCT-2531.					6-1-59/6-1-62
BRCT-263	5-13-59	same	same	same	6-1-59/6-1-62
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BLCT-223	6-1-59	CH # 6 82-88	V-100 kw A-50 kw	U	6-1-59/6-1-62
AH: 710' MSL:3851' Lic. to cover CP(BPCT-2531) Auth. chgs. in existing station.					
BRCT-263	5-11-62	same	same	same	6-1-62 6-1-65
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BMLCT-226	2-1-65	CH. #6 82-88Mc	V-100kw A-20kw	U	2-1-65 6-1-65
AH:710' MSL:3851' Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP					
BRCT-263	7-2-65	SAME	SAME	SAME	7-2-65 6-1-68
RENEWAL OF LICENSE					
BRCT-263	5-28-68	REN. OF LICENSE & NDEA (S)			
BRCT-263	6-30-71	REN. OF LICENSE & NDEA (S)			



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COMM. TV

June 1954

# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters KHPL-TV

Station location .....

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To
BMLCT-722	8-16-71	Ch. 6	V. 100 kw	U	8-16-71
AH: 710' MSL: 3851'		82-88	A. 11.2		6-1-74
ML chg. Aur. ERP.					
EBSA	5-15-72				
COMM. LTR.	10-25-73	Sect. 73.1201(c)	Waived.		
BALCT-542	4-29-74	Vol al			
BTC-7354	4-29-74	Vol TC			
BRCT-263	5-31-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			6-1-77
BRCT-263	12-28-77	RENEWAL OF ILCENSE(L)			6-1-80
BRCT-	9-22-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE(L)			6-1-83
800201KU	AH: 170'	MSL: 3851'	CH-6; UNL. V. 100KW		
A. 11.2KW	82-88				



Card # 1

Comm TV B/C

FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

 Call Letters **KHFL-TV**  
**NEW KHOK-TV**

 Name **Bi-States Company**  
**(P.O. 414 East Avenue, Holdrege, Nebraska)**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BPCT-2016 Recd filed	7-7-55 7-11-55 9-1-55 *	CP for a new comm TV B/C station Freq: Ch # 6, 82-88 Mcs. ERP: Vis. 28.4 kw, Aur. 14.2 kw Hours of operation: Unlimited T-L: On County Road, 8 miles N. Of Hayes Center, near Hayes Center, Nebraska S-L: On County Road, 8 miles N. of Hayes Center, near Hayes Center, Nebraska (Vis & Aur. GE-TT-10-A) (707) Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty. (Dual Programming with KHOL-TV)	GRANTED	9-21-55
BNPCT-3899 Recd.&filed Ext.#1	4-30-56 5-2-56	Mod. of CP(BPCT-2016, which authorized a new Comm.TV B/C Sta.) to extend completion date from 5-21-56 to 11-21-56. Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	5-10-56



## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm TV B/C

Call  
Letters KHPL-TVName **BI-STATES COMPANY**  
**Hayes Center, Nebraska**

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BLCT-532 Recd & Filed	10-19-56 10-22-56	License to cover construction permit (BPCT-2016, as mod.) which authorized a new commercial TV broadcast station. Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	12-31-56
BTC-2386 Recd & Filed	11-30-56 12-7-56	Voluntary transfer of control of permittee corporation from the Brewster Hospital, Inc. to F. Wayne Brewster. Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED Eff:	12-27-56 1-30-57
BPCT-2531 Recd & Filed	7-9-58 7-11-58	Construction Permit to make changes; to change ERP from Vis. 28.2 kw, Aur. 14.1 kw to Vis. 100 kw, Aur. 50 kw; change type of transmitters to GE TT-22-A (combination of GE TT-10A transmitter and GE TF-3-A Amplifier) (707') Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	9-17-58



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Comm TV B/C  
Call  
Letters KHPL-TV

Name Bi-States Company  
CH.6 Hayes Center, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-263 Recd & filed	2-27-59 3-4-59	Renewal of license filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	5-13-59
BLCT-923 Recd & filed	4-15-59 4-17-59	License to cover construction permit (BPCT-2531) which authorized changes in existing station Filed by John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	6-1-59
BRCT-263 Recd.&Filed	2-16-62 2-26-62	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	5-11-62
BMLCT-226 Recd.&Filed	1-8-65 1-11-65	Mod. of License to reduce Aural ERP from 50 kw to 20 kw. John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	2-1-65
BRCT-263 Recd&Filed	2-19-65 3-3-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	7-2-65



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## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call  
Letters

KHPL-TV

Name

BI-STATES COMPANY

CH-6

HAYES CENTER, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-263 R & F	2-16-68 2-26-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE FISHER, WAYLAND, DUVALL & SOUTHMAYD, John P. Southmayd, Atty.	GRANTED	5-28-68
MAR 7 1968				
Engr. data filed	7-2-70			
BRCT-263 Rec. & filed PN Recd PRESS	2-19-71 3-2-71 3-2-71 MAR 15 1971	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John P. Southmayd, (Fisher, Wayland) Amended 4-20-71 re programming. Amended 6-4-71 re programming. Amended 6-17--71 re programming.	GRANTED	6-30-71
BMLCT-722 R & F #018665 \$50 AC: 062 PRESS:	7-20-71 7-22-71 7-22-71 AUG 3 1971	ML to remove Aur. Amplifier; show Aur. trans. as GE TT-10-A; and chg. Aur. ERP to 11.38kw. Atty.: Southmayd (Fisher, Wayland)	GRANTED	8-16-71



# APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TV

Call  
Letters KHPL-TV

NTV ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name X BI-STATES COMPANY  
CH-6 HAYES CENTER, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-7354 R & F #278313 \$1000 AC: 051 PRESS: PN REC'd GRANT FEE: \$8,000.00 GRANT FEE PAID: 7-9-74 AC: 052 Form 315	2-8-74 2-11-74 2-11-74 FEB 21 1974 3-21-74 AMENDED	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from F. Wayne Brewster, Delia Brewster Executrix of the Estate of Donald E. Brewster, Deceased, C. E. Freas, Willard F. Anderson; Willard F. Anderson and William F. Anderson as Joint Tenants and William S. Bivins, to NTV Enterprises, Inc. Atty: Fisher, Wayland, Southmayd and Cooper 3-4-74 re programming, community needs and contract agreement	GRANTED EFF:	4-29-74 5-31-74
BALCT-542 R & F #278316 \$250 AC: 051 PRESS: PN REC'D FORM 316	1-23-74 2-11-74 2-11-74 FEB 21 1974	Voluntary assignment of license to NTV ENTERPRISES, INC. Atty: Fisher, Wayland, Southmayd and Cooper AMENDED 3-25-74 re balance sheet	GRANTED EFF:	4-29-74 8-1-74
BTC-7354 amended 4-8-74 re community interest, programming and financial				



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Call **KWNB-TV**  
Letters **KHPL-TV**

NTV ENTERPRISES, INC.

Name **X BI-STATES COMPANY**

CH-6 HAYES CENTER, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BRCT-263 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	12-11-74 2-27-7 5-13-74	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: John P. Southmayd (Fisher, Wayland, Southmayd and Cooper) Amended 4-18-74 re equal employment. Amended 5-13-74 re public notice.	GRANTED	5-31-74
BRCT-263 R&F PN RECD PRESS	1-21-77 2-1-77 2-1-77 FEB 25 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty.: John Southmayd (Fisher, Wayland, etc.) NM Contours: 2-22-77 Amended 8-8-77 re problems & needs	GRANTED	12-28-77



COMMERCIAL TELEVISION  
APPLICATION RECORD BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KWNB-TV

AMATURO GROUP, INC.

Name: XNTV ENTERPRISES, INC.

CH-6

Station Location: HAYES CENTER, NE

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BALCT-790723KI R & F PRESS: PN REC'D: (Form 314)	7-23-79 7-23-79 8-29-79 9-11-79	Voluntary assignment of license to Amaturro Group, Inc.  Attys.: Assignor-Fisher, Wayland, <u>Southmayd</u> and Cooper Assignee-Herbert D. Miller, Jr. (Koteen & Burt)	8-11-79 EFF: 1-7-80
BRCT-800201KU R & F PN REC'D PRESS	1-29-80 2-1-80 2-1-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: HERBERT D. MILLER, JR. {KOTEEN & BURT}	GRANTED 9-12-80



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Request dated 9-29-55 for waiver of Section 3.652(a)  
of the Rules regarding visual identification of Station  
(DENIED Letter 10-19-55)



## About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast radio stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of television station history.

